

Magi No. 0812135404

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

File 746

1 NAME

HISTORIC

~~Craig-Dean House~~
AND/OR COMMON**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

1210 Liberty Grove Road

CITY, TOWN

Conowingo

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC
☒ PRIVATE

☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED
☐ UNOCCUPIED
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS
ACCESSIBLE
☒ YES: RESTRICTED
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE ☐ MUSEUM
☐ COMMERCIAL ☐ PARK
☐ EDUCATIONAL ☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ ENTERTAINMENT ☐ RELIGIOUS
☐ GOVERNMENT ☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ INDUSTRIAL ☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ MILITARY ☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

David and Sally Jo Dean

Telephone #: 378-3294

STREET & NUMBER

1210 Liberty Grov e Road

CITY, TOWN

Conowingo

☒ VICINITY OFSTATE, zip code
Maryland 21918**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE.
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Liber #: WAS 298

Folio #: 583

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE
Maryland 21921**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CE-1213

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Craig-Dean House c. 1820-1830 is a two story three bay by one room hall/parlor fieldstone house just south of Liberty Grove on Liberty Grove Road. The house faces east with the main gable running north/south.

The house is built into the east slope of a hill so the east basement walls are fully exposed which includes the kitchen ell walls. The kitchen superstructure is frame with novelty siding and medium sloped slate roof like the main block.

The west (main) facade is presently three bays. Across but there were four openings on the first floor originally with two central front doors. A 6/6 sash window flank the single central door opening. The stonework approaches the original but earlier seams and two stone lintels provide evidence for the earlier appearance. Three 6/6 sash light the second floor and a boxed cornice stretches across above. The end eaves to the roof were extended probably when the slate was added.

The gable end windows are basically plain stone walls with four pane attic lights. The surrounds have a slight bead as did the other window surrounds which have been replaced. Interior end chimney stacks rise out of each end and are laid with brick above the roofline.

The kitchen wing was probably added in the mid to late 19th century. A side entrance on the south wall has a single gable roofed porch with turned support posts. The windows have single pane sash. A brick stove stack rises out of the gable end.

The interior of the stone section has been gutted on the first floor and the stone walls have been filled out with studing. Raised panel hearth wall and recessed cupboards have been built in.

The second floor has also been altered significantly but the enclosed winder stair with beaded board door remains intact to the attic.

The attic framing is a common rafter system with a mortised peak joint with wooden pins. Double struck cut mails were used in the attic.

The basement has a cooking fireplace with carge timber lintel. The flooring was taken out of the attic. There are wide floor boards with pairs of plugged holes spaced down the board. Two windows and a center door provided light and access to the backyard but the rear kitchen addition covers these openings.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)		
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION				

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Craig-Dean House is significant for two reasons. The first is its use of wide board flooring with the paired holes which was probably lumber shipped down the Susquehanna River and cut in the local saw mills. Secondly, the hall/parlor house used to have two front doors which is a less common house type.

David Graig owned this house along with a number of others in Liberty Grove and the immediate area. He probably used this structure as a rental or tenant property. He is listed on the atlas patron list as coming from Ireland around 1848 and owning 272 acres in 1877.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paul B. Touart Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Cecil County Committee

DATE

5/12/80

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

TELEPHONE

398-0200 ext. 150

CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland 21921

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

WAS 298/583

10/26/1972

RRC 40/13

6/14/1949

CK 8/163

4/3/1914

GMC 4/1

JS 46/194,195,196

AWM 1/464

4/2/1875

RCH 3/209

12/9/1850

Homer & Edna Webb

To

David Dean & ^{Sally} Jo Dean

0.54 acres "Being Part of Land..."

J. Howard Griest

To

Homer & Edna Webb

19 3/4 acres

Sarah E. Russell & Robert B.

To

J. Howard Griest

\$11,050.00 Being of the farm devised to said Sarah E. Russell (Sarah E. Craig) by her father David Craig - Will H 15/290 Being a part of the farm or tract of land conveyed to the said David Craig by deed from AWM 4/589 Wm. S. Evans, Trustee 3/6/1877 \$2437.00 56½ acres.

Decree of Circuit Court AWM 3/415

1/25/1876 Martha J. Patton, Comp.

3/107 Jesse Stebbings, Defendant.

Plot of the road to Gillespie's Mill

List of Raft Lumber.

Hugh Glacken

To

Jesse Stebbing \$1300.00

James W. Rowland & Ann E. Rowland

To

Edward Glacken (Devised to Hugh \$12050.00 62½ acres Glacken at death.)

Commissioners appointed to sell land of James Rowland

To

James W. Rowland

(And is the same land that was allotted to the said James W. Rowland by the Commissioners appointed.. and was by Wm. Thomas and Madison Rowland conveyed to James W. Rowland about 1838 JS 46/316 46/197

RCH 1/651 -

~~James Rowland's lands.~~



Maped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey
Control by USGS and USC&GS

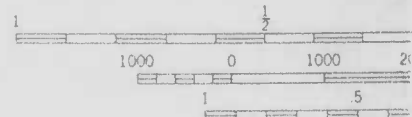
Culture and drainage in part compiled from aerial photographs
taken 1952. Topography by plane-table surveys 1939 and 1940
revised 1953

Polycyclic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grids based on Maryland coordinate system,
and Pennsylvania coordinate system, south zone
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 18, shown in blue

Divisions shown in purple compiled from aerial photographs
taken 1970. This information not held directly



UTM GRID AND 1970 MAGNETIC NORTH
DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET



CE-1213 CONT
DA

THIS MAP COMPLIES W
FOR SALE BY U.S. GEO
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRA

Rising Sun Area



CRAIG - DEAN 1st CE-1213

SOUTHWEST ELEV.

N^r LIBERTY GROVE

2/80 PBT

NEH./MD. 1st TRUST